2020
The Other Side/El Otro Lado:
A comparative look at migration and refugees along the Mediterranean and US-Mexico borderlands

Engage deeply with the histories and contemporary realities of migrant and refugee communities in the vibrant city of Barcelona, Spain. This program will explore the connections between and differences of migrant and refugee narratives in the Mediterranean sea corridor and migrant experiences (including experiences of undocumented migrants) at the US-Mexico Borderlands.

The course will ask questions like: What are the underlying reasons driving how and why states militarize borders? What strategies are used to deter migration in both sites? How do “threat narratives” shape the ways migrant and refugee communities are racialized/gendered in their “host” country?

Participants will meet with local NGOs, migrant collectives, and scholars from the Centro Internacional de Estudios Decoloniales (the International Center for Decolonial Studies) to engage with these questions and more.

Course offered:
- Chicano Studies 180: The Other Side/El Otro Lado (6 units)

Program Dates:
June 28, 2020 - July 31, 2020

Applications Open: February 3
Deadline to Apply: March 15

2020 Program Costs for UC Students:
- Tuition (6 units): $2,514
- Program Fee: $2,817

Additional out of pocket expenses estimate: $2,791

Financial Aid Applies!
Students packaged for all three costs above. Email travelaid@berkeley.edu for your specific fin aid package for this program!